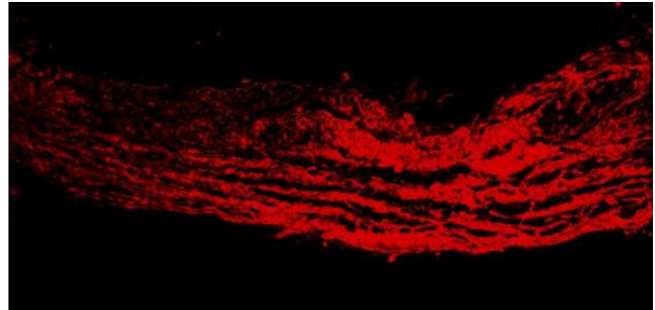
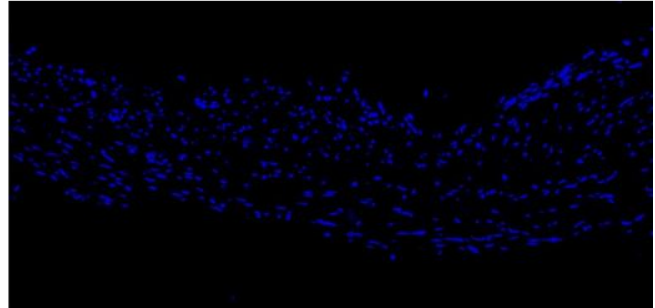


Suppl. Fig. 1. *Validation of the TRPM4 antibody.* Left, Representative blot showing total TRPM4 protein (guinea pig urinary bladder smooth muscle) after addition of rabbit polyclonal anti-TRPM4 antibody (Aviva Systems Biology, Cat#ARP35268_P050). Right, Same blot after strip with Restore™ PLUS Western Blot Stripping Buffer (Thermo Scientific Inc.) and re-probed with pre-mix of the rabbit polyclonal anti-TRPM4 antibody + antigenic peptide (Aviva Systems Biology, Cat#AAP35268).

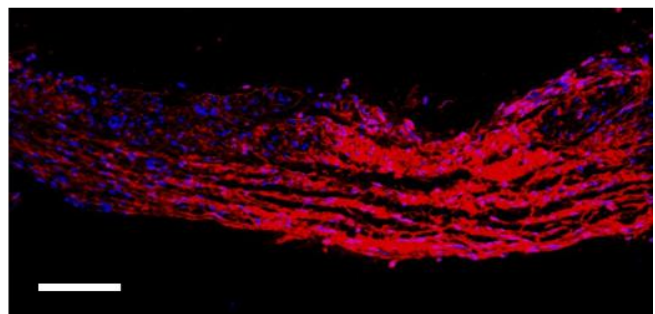
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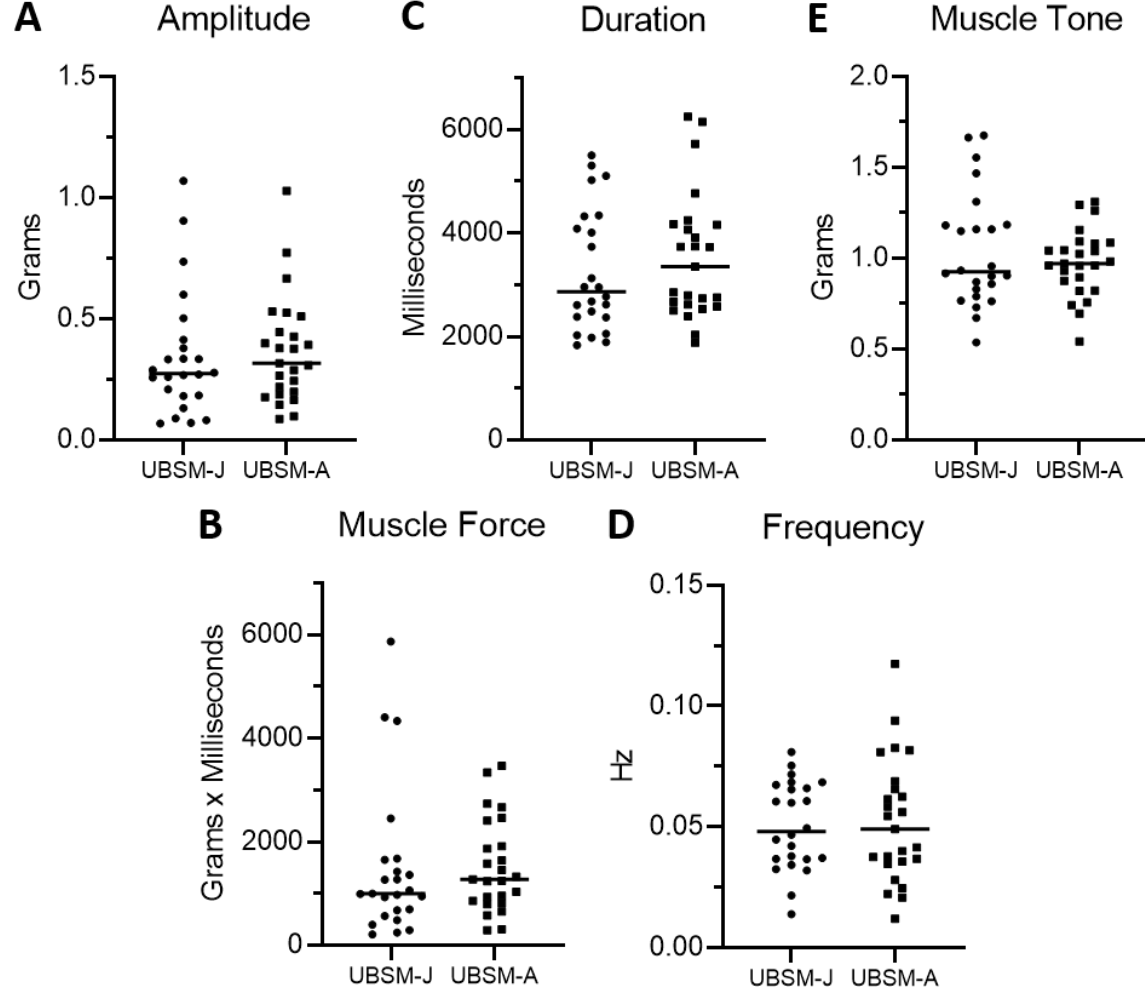


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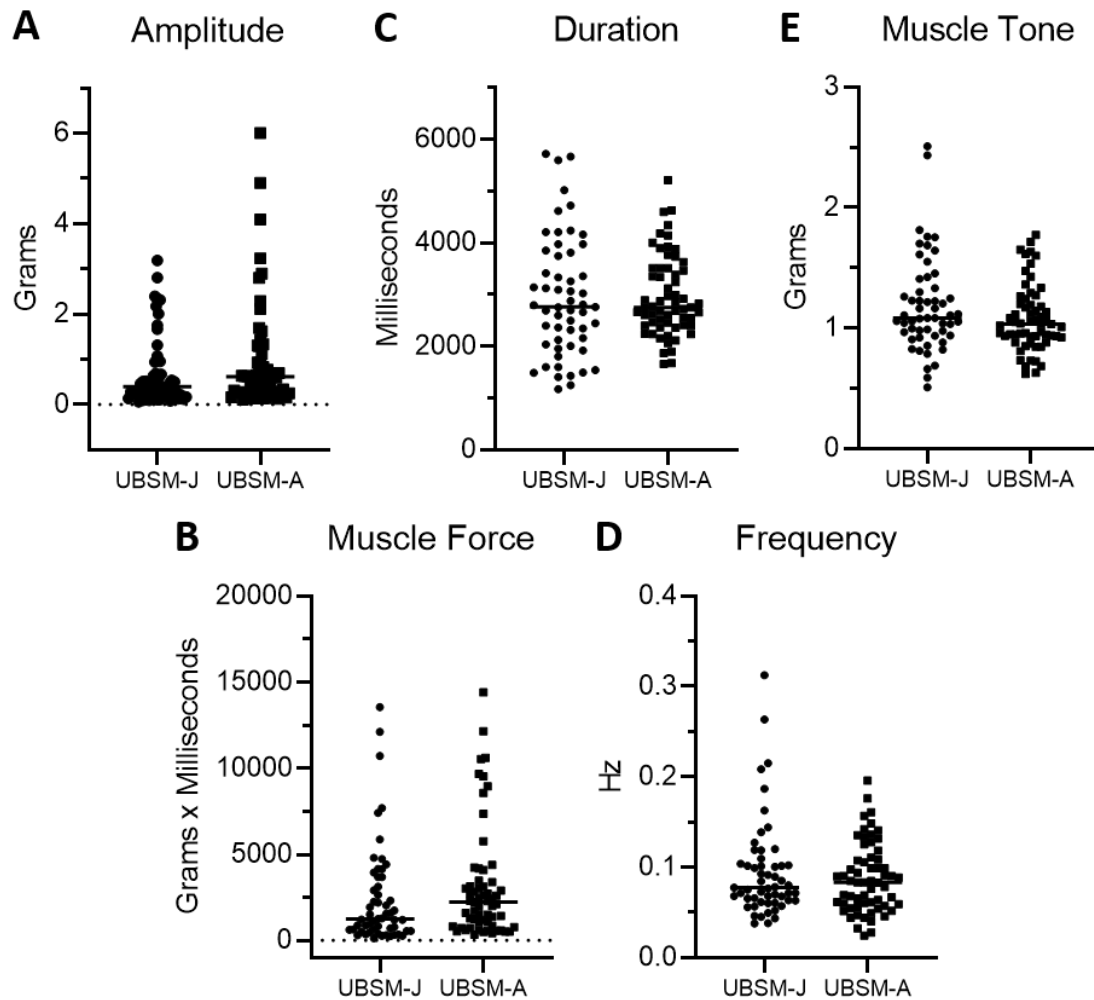
Suppl. Fig. 2. *Validation of the UBSM surface biotinylation protocol.* Rat UBSM was biotinylated, formalin-fixed, and paraffin-embedded. Sections were then processed for immunofluorescence imaging using Alexa546-tagged Streptavidin (red) and DAPI (blue) which show that the biotin-tagged reagents penetrate all layers of UBSM. Scale bar = 100 μ m.

Spontaneous



Suppl. Fig. 3. *UBSM-J and UBSM-A showed no discernible difference in the development of spontaneous phasic contractions A-E)* Illustrated are the control values of each contraction parameter for spontaneous phasic contractions used (Spontaneous: UBSM-J: $n=24$, $N=11$; UBSM-A: $n=25$, $N=16$). Values have not been normalized based on weight of individual tissue strips. Bars shown for each group indicate the median value for the indicated data points.

20 mM K⁺ induced



Suppl. Fig. 4. *UBSM-J and UBSM-A showed no discernible difference in the development of 20 mM KCl-induced contraction response. A-E*) Illustrated are the control values for each contraction parameter for 20 mM KCl-induced contractions (20 mM KCl-induced: UBSM-J: $n=55$, $N=21$; UBSM-A: $n=61$, $N=21$). Values have not been normalized based on weight of individual tissue strips. Bars shown for each group indicate the median value for the indicated data points.